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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant requests that the Examiner consider the following reference.

DE 195 07 603 C2 discloses a fixture for securing containers to rail or road cargo transport vehicles. No full translation of this reference is available to Applicant at this time. However, Applicant attaches an English language abstract.

Consideration is respectfully requested.

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LIST OF REFERENCES CITED

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	<u>DE 195 07 603 C2</u>	<u>Sept. 5, 1996</u>	<u>GERMANY</u>			<u>NO</u>

Examiner_____
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